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## Answer Made to Negro Petition by Elks' Lodge.

The contest which is being made by Secretary of State McChesney, the Frankfort Lodge of Elks, and the Grand Lodge of the United States, to prevent a Louisville colored organization from formally and legally organizing under the charter laws of the State as an Elks lodge, took a new turn Saturday when Judge J. H. Hazelrigg, representing them filed in the Franklin circuit court as the State Fiscal Court, an answer to the negroes' petition, which seeks to compel the Secretary of State to issue them a charter under the Kentucky laws. The Secretary of State, the Grand Lodge, B. P. O. E. of the United States and the Frankfort lodge of Elks join in the answer. The colored organization which is seeking the Elks name, and emblem, styles itself, "Falls City Lodge No. 44, of the Improved and Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of the World." In the Grand Lodge's answer it is denied that the words "Falls City Lodge" is indicative merely of the locality, the essential title being the name "Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks." It is stated that the organizers of the negro lodge knew full well of the existence of the Frankfort Lodge, and the Grand Lodge of Elks, and adopted the name set out in its articles with the design to imitate the name of the grand lodge and other Elks lodges and did so "fraudulently, wrongfully and illegally. The color line is brought in to the matter further in the answer where it says that the work of the Grand Lodge of Elks and the subordinate lodges is largely social and the plaintiff organization composed of negroes, does not, in the nature of things, affiliate socially with the white race, and cannot become subordinate lodges under the Grand Lodge. It is prayed that the court deny the writ of mandamus, asked against the Secretary of State. The case comes to trial in September. At the Elks' Grand lodge session in Philadelphia this week, it is expected that some action will be taken in reference thereto, as the case has attracted attention in Elks circles all over the country.

## Stylish Vehicles.

If you are looking for a stylish buggy, runabout, phaeton, depot wagon, carriage, or other stylish vehicle, you can find in our repository something that will supply your wants—and the price is right. We invite you to come and see. YERKES & KENNEY.

## Buying Up Fayette.

J. B. Haggin continues to add to his extensive property holdings in Fayette county.

At the Commissioner's sale of the Coyle property in Fayette county on Elkhorn creek held Saturday morning a representative of Mr. Haggin bought 65 acres of land adjoining his farm on the Maysville pike for \$105 an acre. The price secured for the farm is considered good. The price paid for the whole place was \$6,825.

## Warranted Binder Twine.

Proof Hemp Twine is warranted to work on any binder and to run 50 feet longer than Sisal. 28-tf YERKES & KENNEY.

## Modern Woodmen at Little Rock.

Little Rock Camp, Modern Woodmen of America, held initiatory services Saturday night at the camp where twenty new members were received and given the degree work by District Deputy J. W. Womach, assisted by the degree team of Mt. Sterling. Among those who united with the camp are Clarence and Earl Hinkle, Willis Clarke, W. F. Moran, Wm. Burns, Clay Hiram, B. F. Bramblett, John Taul, Everett Crouch and John Bettis. L. A. Soper is chief counsel of the camp, which now has forty-six members, being instituted March 9th with twenty-nine members.

## New Saloon Opens.

I wish to inform the public in general and my friends and old customers in particular that I have opened up a first-class saloon in the stand lately vacated by C. D. Lucas. I have in stock 25 barrels of Vanhook that have seen nine summers, all of this age whisky that is on the market. Our draught and bottled beer will be kept right. You are invited to call. Respectfully, JNO. A. SCHWARTZ.

## An Appointment.

Sterling Price, of Winchester, who has been attending State College at Lexington, has been appointed to a position in the Philippine constabulary, and will leave for Manila in a short time. The appointment was made through Gen. Henry Allen, who has charge of that Department. Mr. Price will also go through the school of practical application leading to an appointment as First Lieutenant. He is a nephew of Mrs. Evelyn Buck, of this city.

## Last week of W. Ed. Tucker's Big Clearance Sale.

### Sales of Fat Cattle.

L. B. M. Bedford sold to Simon McDonald, proprietor of Union Stock Yards, of Pittsburg, 82 head of fine export cattle, to be weighed and delivered by the middle of October, at \$5.80 per hundred pounds. Simon Weil bought the fine bunch of cattle of A. L. Ferguson, of Georgetown, 80 head, at \$6; of Vol Ferguson, of Centerville, 70 head at \$5.85.

## Thoroughly Good Understanding.

An official statement announcing a "thoroughly good understanding and fundamental friendliness" between the United States and Japan was issued by President Roosevelt Sunday through Secretary Loeb after the departure of Admiral Yamamoto and Ambassador Aoki from Sigamore Hill. The statement was, "The President had a long interview with Admiral Baron Yamamoto and it was most satisfactory in every way."

## Binder Twine.

Buy your twine from Yerkes & Kenney. They handle McCormick and Deering Sisal and Proof Hemp. 28-tf

## School Fund Report.

Following the splendid report of the condition of the State Treasury at the end of the fiscal year, the first of this month, Auditor of Public Accounts, S. W. Hager Saturday gave out his estimate of the resources of the school fund for the coming fiscal year. So healthy is the condition of this fund that the per capita for the education of the children of the State makes a record, being the sum of \$3.40, which is ten cents more than last year. Auditor Hager, Superintendent of Public Instruction Fuqua and all of the officials are delighted over this good showing. It is said that this means an unprecedented year for the common schools of the State and the advancement of education along all lines.

Superintendent Fuqua figures that with 739,000 school children in the State, acquiring the per capita of \$3.40, there will be still left the sum of \$78,000 in the school fund to carry on other educational work. The total amount to the credit of the fund is \$2,594,600.07.

Attend Harry Simon's Great July Trade Sale, beginning Saturday, July 6th, closing Saturday, July 20th.

## Lightning Starts a Riot.

Lightning played a prank at the Paducah day docks Friday afternoon that almost caused a riot besides stunning four men. Dick Thompson, foreman; Louis Moss, Will Jordan and Tom Bass were working together. Jordan called to Moss to help him and as he turned the bolt of lightning struck the dry docks. Moss, who was working with a brace and bit, was floored by what he thought was a blow in the back. He sprang to his feet to hurl a hammer at Jordan when he saw the latter sprawling unconscious over a beam he had been sawing. Thomson and Bass were lying in a heap, and other workmen, who noticed the confusion, rushed to seize Moss, who to all appearances had laid out the whole crew with a hammer. It required several minutes to solve the puzzle.

## New Line.

We have added to our stock a complete line of everything used on the farm in the way of harness. Call in and have a look. 28-tf L. A. VIN & CONNELL.

## Farmer Has Narrow Escape.

While engaged in adjusting and testing his threshing machine, preparatory to beginning operations, Bishop Hibler, a prominent Bourbon farmer, narrowly escaped having his arm torn off and probable death. Mr. Hibler was adjusting the teeth of the cylinder of the separator when the power was turned on through mistake, catching his right hand between a tooth and the outside casting, severely lacerating and mashing it hand.

## Let Me Do Your Plumbing.

When you get ready to put in your bath room let me figure with you. If my work is satisfactory tell others. If not tell me. All work guaranteed. Shop 606 Main street—both phones. JOHN MERRINGER.

## Going After Big Convention.

Appointment of Henry Watterson as chairman of the Committee of Invitation; E. H. Bacon, chairman of the Committee on Hotels and Accommodations; Gen. John B. Castleman, chairman of the Committee on Finances, and Robert E. Hughes, chairman of the Committee on Press and Publicity, by the Committee of One Hundred Saturday marked the first step in the campaign to get the National Democratic Convention of 1908 to assemble at Louisville.

## At All Times.

Fruits of all kinds daily. Water melons on ice at all times. 16-2t C. P. COOK & CO.

## Letton-Hennessey.

Mr. Winsor Letton and Miss Annie Hennessey, both of this city, were united in marriage at the Mt. Auburn Baptist church, Cincinnati, Friday morning, at 9 o'clock, the wedding being a very quiet one. Both are popular and the announcement of their marriage came as a pleasant surprise to their many friends, from whom they had kept their secret well.

The bride is a lovely young woman of charming manners and estimable qualities and was visiting relatives at Mt. Auburn. She is an orphan, both her father and mother dying when she was quite young, since which time she has resided with Mrs. Camila Wilson, of this city. Her only brother died while a soldier in the Spanish-American war. The bridegroom was for a number of years Deputy Sheriff of the county and was a member of the Second Kentucky Regiment in the Spanish war, and is a man of high character and is a brother of Mr. Forrest Letton, of near Paris.

## Auction Sale To-Day.

Don't fail to attend the sale of household and kitchen furniture today at 1:30 o'clock at Mrs. Stout Leer's on Seventh street.

Attend Harry Simon's Great July Trade Sale, beginning Saturday, July 6th, closing Saturday, July 20th.

## After Big Warehouses.

It is currently believed that the American Society of Equity is seeking to get control of the majority of stock of the Louisville Tobacco Warehouse company. The company's representative there says no overtures have been made by either side, but it is given out that the question will be considered at a meeting of the tobacco growers to be held at Louisville tomorrow.

## Receiver's Sale

BOURBON CIRCUIT COURT.  
Agricultural Bank of Paris, Ky., Plaintiff  
Vs.  
Stewart & Lowe, Defendants  
Yerkes & Kenney, Plaintiffs  
Vs.—Order.  
Stewart & Lowe, Defendants  
Agricultural Bank of Paris, Ky., Plaintiff  
Vs.  
Chas. Stewart, Defendant  
Consolidated Cases.

Pursuant to a judgment and order of sale in the above styled causes, the undersigned will on

Saturday, July 27, 1907,

expose to public sale on the public square, in Paris, Ky., the following personal property:

One black team of horses, 6 years old; 1 team horses, roan mare and gray horse, 10 years old; 1 dun pony; 2 horse wagons, 2 hay frames; 2 sets wagon harness; 1 rubber tire buggy; 2 horse covers; 1 pair stretchers; 1 leather halter; 1 snaffle bit bridle; 1 tarpaulin; 1 hay fork; 2 neck collars and pads; 1 lead bridle.

Terms.—Four months with 6 per cent. interest from date of sale with approved security.

The total amount to be raised on date of sale \$545.00.

E. P. CLARKE, Receiver.

July 9-16-23

## Sheriff's Sale!

By virtue of distress warrant directed to me which issued from the office of the county court, in favor of Richard Kelly against Carrie A. King, I will on

Wednesday, July 24, 1907

between the hours of 11 o'clock a. m. and 12 o'clock, m., at the court house door in Paris, Bourbon county, Ky., expose to public sale, to the highest bidder, the following property, or as much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy Plaintiff's debt, interests and costs, to-wit:

One set of oak furniture, including 1 bed, dresser, wash stand and center table, 4 chairs, 1 yarn carpet, 3 rugs, 1 folding couch, 1 trunk, 1 clock, 2 lamps, 1 mattress, 1 bed tick, 5 quilts, 5 pillows, 19 pillow cases, 2 sofa pillow cases, 4 sofa pillows, 3 sheets, 3 table cloths, 9 towels, 6 stand covers, 4 night robes, 6 goblets, 10 ice cream saucers, 20 plates, 1 pitcher, 2 dishes, 4 quart jars preserves, 2 tubs, 1 wash board, 5 saucers, 1 dish pan, 5 glasses, 1 glass dish, 2 flat irons, 2 knives and forks, 3 spoons.

Terms.—Credit of 4 months bearing 6 per cent. interest from date of sale with good and approved securities or purchasers may pay cash and stop interest.

Amount to be raised on date of sale \$52.90.

E. P. CLARKE, S. B. C.

July 9-16-23

## PUBLIC SALE

I will sell at public auction on TUESDAY, JULY 16, 1907,

at my residence on Seventh street, all of my household and kitchen furniture consisting in part of

2 folding beds, 2 dressers, 3 washstands, 1 chiffonier, 1 child's folding bed, 1 bookcase, Books, 1 leather couch, 3 druggets, 1 hatrack, 1 music stand, 2 matings, 1 carpet, 2 screens, 1 Moore's air-tight stove, 1 sideboard, 1 dining table, 1 China closet, 6 dining room chairs, 1 kitchen range, 1 kitchen safe, 1 coal oil stove, 1 refrigerator, Chairs, pictures, dishes and various other things.

Will sell privately to anyone desiring any of the articles up to date of sale. MRS. STOUT LEER. Geo. Speakes, Auctioneer.



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